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ATTACHMENT: Petition and Fee for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR §1.136(a)

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Applicants request that the period for response be extended two months through and  
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